

For: FSA State Offices, CMA's, DMA's, and LSA's

Price Support Division (PSD) Reorganization

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

A Background

The structure of PSD has been evaluated over the past 2 years and it has been determined that a restructuring would provide more effective management.

To address this situation, the Director, PSD, made a determination that PSD could improve the efficiency of management and more accurately reflect the actual day-to-day operation of PSD by:

- eliminating the Compliance, Policy, and Procedures Branch (CPPB)
- restructuring the PSD Director's Office by:
 - adding an Associate Director's position
 - reassigning the CPPB Branch Chief to Deputy Director
- reassigning program specialists formerly assigned to CPPB to the Director's Office.

The reorganization of PSD was approved on August 11, 2003.

B Purpose

This notice provides information about the following:

- program responsibilities
- State Office, CMA, Designated Marketing Association (DMA), and LSA contacts.

Disposal Date

October 1, 2004

Distribution

All FSA State Offices; State Offices relay to
CMA's, DMA's, and LSA's

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C PSD Organization

The new structure for PSD is composed of the following:

- Division Director
- Associate Director
- Deputy Director
- Automation Branch Chief
- 6 program managers
- 16 program specialists
- 1 program assistant
- 4 secretaries.

2 PSD Responsibilities and Contacts

A PSD Responsibilities

The Associate Director assists the Director in division administrative actions, as well as day-to-day operations.

The Deputy Director assists the Director in program management, as well as day-to-day operations.

The Automation Branch Chief is the point-of-contact for all software and automation issues for all program areas.

Full and independent responsibility for overall planning and policy implementation for the following major program areas have been assigned to the program managers:

- cotton programs
- CMA's and LSA's
- Farm Storage Facility Loans (FSFL's)
- Marketing assistance loans and LDP's
- special programs
- peanut programs.

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2 PSD Responsibilities and Contacts (Continued)

B State Office, CMA's, DMA's, and LSA's Contacts

State Offices, CMA's, DMA's, and LSA's shall:

- direct all program questions, issues, program-related telephone calls, e-mails, and FAXes to the appropriate program manager or Branch Chief as outlined in this notice

Note: Program specialists shall serve as the secondary contact if program managers or the Automation Branch Chief is unavailable.

- contact the Deputy Director if program managers or their secondary contacts are not available
- continue to direct correspondence to the Director, PSD, or Deputy Administrator for Farm Programs when requesting waiving, revising, or establishing policy.

C Director's Office

The PSD Director's Office contacts are as follows.

Position	Contact
Division Director	Grady Bilberry at 202-720-7901
Associate Director	Solomon Whitfield at 202-720-9886
Deputy Director	Raellen Erickson at 202-720-7320
Agricultural Assistant	Sylvia Johnson at 202-720-2879
Secretarial Staff	Keya Nimmons at 202-720-7901
	Monica Jackson at 202-720-9886
	Roberta Goodman at 202-720-6689

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2 PSD Responsibilities and Contacts (Continued)

D Programs

Program managers and program specialists assigned to specific programs are as follows.

Program Manager	Programs	Program Specialist
Gene Rosera at 202-720-8481	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cotton marketing assistance loan and LDP policy Cottonseed Program 	Toni Williams at 202-720-2270 David Kincannon at 202-720-7914
Chris Kyer at 202-720-7935	CMA, DMA, and LSA programs	DeAnn Allen at 202-720-9889
Kimberly Graham at 202-720-9154	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marketing assistance loans and LDP policy for all commodities except cotton, mohair, peanuts, sugar, and wool Graze-out 	Tom Fink at 202-720-8701 Toni Williams at 202-720-2270 Kimberly Pritchett at 202-720-3110
Danielle Cooke at 202-720-1919	Special Programs (Policy) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lamb Meat Adjustment Assistance Program (LMAAP) Dairy, Dairy Indemnity Payment Program (DIPP), and Milk Income Loss Contract (MILC) Wool and mohair marketing assistance loan and LDP policy Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) 	Frankie Coln at 202-720-9011 Carolyn Hunter at 202-690-0013
Tonye Gross at 202-720-4319	Peanut marketing assistance loan and LDP policy	
Vacant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FSFL Sugar Storage Facility Loan (SSFL) Sugar marketing assistance loans 	

Note: Until the vacant program manager vacancy is filled, contact Chris Kyer for policy questions about FSFL and SSFL, Danielle Cooke for any policy questions about sugar marketing assistance loans.

3 PSD Responsibilities and Contacts (Continued)

E Automation Branch

Contacts for the Automation Branch are as follows.

Branch Chief: George Stickels at 202-720-7874		
Secretary: Leanna Johnson at 202-720-7874		
	APSS Subsystems	Program Specialist
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MILC • PSD website • LMAAP 	Asime Atuboyedia at 202-720-8223
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apple Market Loss Assistance Program (AMLAP) • Premiums and discounts 	Stacey Carrol at 202-690-8037
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FSFL • SSFL • TAA 	Joe Doleski at 202-720-8401
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marketing assistance loan and LDP applications and corrections except for honey, sugar, peanuts, and cotton • Spot check process • Price support queries 	Jerry Epting at 202-720-7696
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marketing assistance loan and LDP for sugar and honey • CMA eligibility process 	Brandie Mosby at 202-690-8038
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cotton (APSS and ACRS) • Electronic warehouse receipts (EWR's) 	Julie Floriani at 202-720-8374
	Peanuts	Cecile Wynne at 202-720-8413
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMA eligibility process • CCC interest rates 	Shanita Hines at 202-720-9888